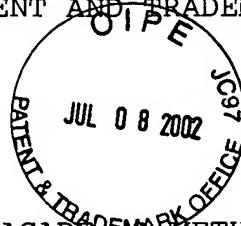


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Please find enclosed herewith the following documents  
relating to the above-cited case:

- 1) a Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application;
- 2) a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application;
- 3) an executed Supplemental Declaration and Power of Attorney document;
- 4) a check for \$870.00 representing \$740.00 for the basic filing fee, and \$130.00 for the large entity surcharge fee;
- 5) a Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) from April 6, 2002 until July 6, 2002;
- 6) a second check in the amount of \$920.00, representing the three months extension of time fee for a large entity;
- 7) an Information Disclosure Statement (Form PTO-1449) having one page;
- 8) copies of the references (10) cited in the Information Disclosure Statement;
- 9) a copy of an International Search Report from the corresponding International application and an English translation thereof;
- 10) a copy of an Examiner's report to the Comptroller under Section 17 (The Search Report);
- 11) a certified copy of Federal Republic of Germany Patent Application No. 100 20 292.6;
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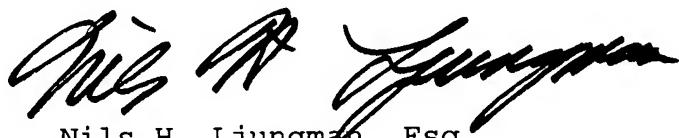
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- 14) an Authorization to Withdraw from Deposit Account and a duplicate copy thereof; and
- 15) a stamped, self-addressed postcard, return of which is requested to acknowledge receipt of the enclosed documents.

It is believed that no further fee is required to file the enclosed documents.

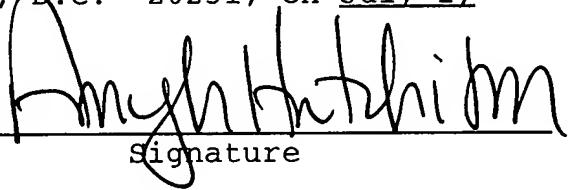
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS  
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Sir:

The Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, mailed on February 6, 2002, a copy of which is enclosed herewith, requires that a basic filing fee of \$740.00, a large entity surcharge fee of \$130.00, and a Declaration signed by the inventors be submitted by April 6, 2002, which is two months from the mailing date of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, relating to the above-cited patent application.

Please find enclosed herewith a Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) from April 6, 2002 until July 6, 2002. Also enclosed herewith is a check in the amount of \$920.00, representing the three months extension of time fee for a large entity.

This case was filed without a Declaration because an application with a Declaration attached thereto was not received by the Attorney of Record by the Convention Date. Therefore, in order to comply with the filing requirements, a Declaration citing the above-identified application by its serial number and filing date is enclosed herewith. Priority was claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 at the time of filing of the above-cited application.

The undersigned attorney of record hereby states that the invention recited in the Declaration enclosed herewith is identical to the invention captioned above.

As requested by the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, all required documents are enclosed herewith.

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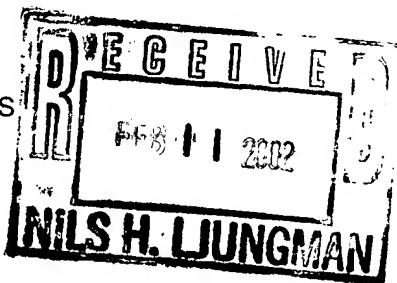


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*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 870.**

*A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.*

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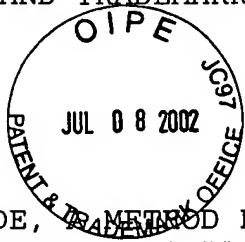
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